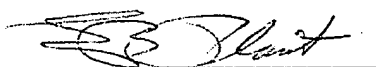


RECEIVED
CENTRAL FAX CENTER
APR 25 2006

1

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being transmitted by facsimile addressed to: Mail Stop Amendment, Commissioner for Patents, PO Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, (Fax No. 571-273-8300) on: April 25, 2006

I hereby certify that I have reasonable basis to expect that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as First Class Mail in an envelope addressed to Mail Stop Amendment, Commissioner for Patents, P. O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on: April 25, 2006



Lawrence. Plant

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

U.S. Appln No. 10/664,294

Filed: 09/17/2003

(Attorney's Docket No. GP-301429)

Confirmation No. 4556

Inventor: Jeffrey Allan Rock

Art Unit 1745

Flow Restrictors in Fuel Cell Flow-Field

Examiner R. Alejandro

Mail Stop Amendment

Commissioner for Patents

PO Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

AMENDMENT

Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action dated February 21, 2006, please amend the above-identified application as follows.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 3 of this paper.

Amendments to the claims begin on page 8 of this paper

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 13 of this paper and include both an attached replacement sheet and an annotated sheet showing the changes made.

Remark/arguments begin on page 14 of this paper